

SENATE RESOLUTION 158

By Norris

A RESOLUTION to approve changes to the Basic Education Program funding formula.

WHEREAS, the commissioners of education and finance and administration and the state board of education have approved and recommended the addition of a new component to the instructional category of the Tennessee Basic Education Program (BEP) to assist districts with academic interventions; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-3-351, provides that any amendment or revision to the components of the formula of the BEP shall be submitted to the education committee of the senate and the education administration and planning committee of the house of representatives; and

WHEREAS, the education committee of the senate has reviewed and recommended this addition to the formula in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-3-351; and

WHEREAS, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-3-351, further provides that recommended revisions to the BEP formula are subject to approval by resolutions of the senate and the house of representatives, without amendment; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that the addition of a new component to the instructional category of the BEP to assist districts with academic interventions as recommended by the departments of education and finance and administration and the state board of education and reviewed and recommended by the education committee of the senate, is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.